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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
INNIS and CREASEY) Group Art Unit: 1653	
Serial No.: 09/741,106	Examiner: Chih-Min Kam	
Filed: December 21, 2000) Attorney Docket No. PP00990.: 012441.00	
For: CHIMERIC PROTEINS) 012441.00	'003

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the non-final Office Action mailed October 27, 2003. We believe no fee is due to make this response timely filed. If a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Claims 1-11, 13-27, 73, and 88 are pending. Claims 14 and 15 are allowed. Claims 1-11, 13, 16-27, 73, and 88 stand rejected.

Please enter the following amendments.